MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT COVERAGE FOR PEOPLE 50 AND OLDER AND UNDER 65

ON MEDICARE DUE TO DISABILITY

STATE OF NEW JERSEY STATE HEALTH INSURANCE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM S.H.I.P. DEPT. OF HEALTH & SR. SERVICES

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COMPANY		PL	AN INFO	RMATION		MEDICARE PART A HOSPITAL COSTS				MEDICARE PART A SKILLED NURS. FACILITY (SNF) COSTS			MEDICARE PART B MEDICAL COSTS (DRS., OUTPATIENT, ETC.)			OTHER			
						PLAN PAYS				PLAN PAYS			PLAN PAYS			PLAN PLANS			
NAME	PLAN	MONTHI Y	** COMPANY MAY DENY COVERAGE FOR MEDICAL REASONS	*** PRE-EX. MEDICAL CONDITION WAITING PERIOD	SOLD TO PERSONS 50 AND OVER AND UNDER 65	\$952 DEDUCT. (2006)	\$238 COPAY FOR DAYS 61-90 (2006)	\$476 COPAY FOR DAYS 91-150 (2006)	100% AFTER 150 FOR ADDITIONAL 365 DAYS IN A LIFETIME	\$119 COPAY FOR DAYS 21-100 (2006)	AFTER 100 DAYS WHEN MEDICARE STOPS PAYING	COSTS IN A SNF NOT APPROVED BY MEDICARE	\$124 ANNUAL DEDUCT. (2006)	20% OF MEDICARE ALLOWED AMOUNT	COSTS THAT EXCEED ALLOWED AMOUNT	PARTS A & B BLOOD DEDUCTIBLE	FOREIGN TRAVEL EMERGENCY	AT-HOME ME	VENTIVE EDICAL CARE
AARP/UNITED HEALTHCARE 1-800-523-5800	С	169.50	Yes	3 mos.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes		
AMERICAN PROGRESSIVE	С	FNS 140.92 FS 162.04 MNS 155.03 MS 178.27	Yes	3 mos.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes		
LIFE & HEALTH 1-800-645-4116	G	FNS 102.34 FS 117.73 MNS 112.63 MS 129.54	Yes	3 mos.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes				Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
BANKERS LIFE AND CASUALTY 1-888-282-8252	С	181.27	Yes	None	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes		
GENWORTH LIFE AND ANNUITY 1-877-825-9337	С	FNS 109.68 FS 121.90 MNS 126.15 MS 140.19	Yes	None	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes		
HORIZON BC/BS OF NJ 1-800-224-1234	С	198.05	Yes	3 mos.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes		
LINCOLN HERITAGE LIFE 1-800-438-7180	С	* F 155.43 M 178.69	Yes	None	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes		
MUTUAL OF OMAHA 1-800-775-6000	С	FNS 160.54 FS 173.56 MNS 184.52 MS 199.49	Yes	3 mos.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes		
PENNSYLVANIA LIFE 1-888-802-9497	С	FNS 135.66 FS 156.66 MNS 149.94 MS 172.91	Yes	3 mos.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes		

FNS = FEMALE NON-SMOKER FS = FEMALE SMOKER MNS = MALE NON-SMOKER MS = MALE SMOKER NON-SMOKER RATES APPLY TO APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED DURING THE 6-MONTH OPEN ENROLLMENT PERIOD.

^{*} PREMIUMS DO NOT INCLUDE A ONE-TIME \$25 (AMERICAN PROGRESSIVE), \$20 (LINCOLN HERITAGE) OR \$25 (PENNSYLVANIA LIFE) POLICY FEE.

^{**} APPLICANTS CANNOT BE TURNED DOWN FOR COVERAGE DURING THE FIRST SIX (6) MONTHS OF ENROLLMENT IN MEDICARE PART B (OPEN ENROLLMENT). APPLICANTS WHO HAVE HAD MEDICARE PART B FOR MORE THAN SIX (6) MONTHS

MAY BE DENIED COVERAGE, UNLESS THEY ARE IN A GUARANTEE ISSUE SITUATION (SEE GUIDETO HEALTH INSURANCE FOR PEOPLE WITH MEDICARE). NOTE: ALL DISABLED AND KIDNEY FAILURE BENEFICIARIES WILL HAVE A NEW SIX (6) MONTH OPEN ENROLLMENT
PERIOD BEGINNING WITH THE MONTH THEY TURN 65 AND HAVE PART B OF MEDICARE DURING WHICH TIME THEY CAN PURCHASE ANY MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT PLAN OF THEIR CHOICE BEING SOLD BY THE INSURANCE COMPANY.

^{***} COMPANIES MAY EXCLUDE BENEFITS FOR PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS DURING THE FIRST THREE (3) MONTHS FROM THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF COVERAGE. THE PRE-EXISTING MEDICAL CONDITION WAITING PERIOD SHALL NOT APPLY FOR A CONDITION COVERED, FOR AT LEAST THREE (3) MONTHS, UNDER A PRIOR HEALTH BENEFITS POLICY WITH NO INTERVENING LAPSE IN COVERAGE.